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Assignee: United Technologies Corp. Examiner: W. Rodriguez  
Title: PULSED COMBUSTION ENGINE

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REQUEST FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby request a one (1) month extension of time in this case so as to extend the period for filing the enclosed Replacement Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 to expire on February 27, 2005.

Applicants request that the fee for filing this one (1) month extension of time request be charged to Deposit Account No. 21-0279.

Additionally, it is believed that excess claim fees were already charged for three excess total claims and five excess independent claims. The present amendment presents four excess total claims and five excess independent claims. Accordingly, the fee for a single additional excess total claim should be charged to said deposit account (as reflected on the attached Fee

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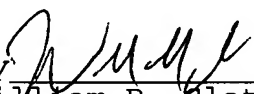
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Transmittal). However, if excess claim fees were not previously charged or were charged but then credited back, fees for four excess total claims and five excess independent claims should be charged to said deposit account.

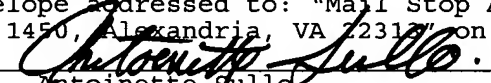
Please charge any additional fees or deficiencies and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 21-0279.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Date: February 28, 2005

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